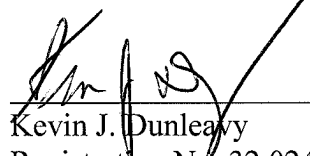


REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

This amendment to the specification is submitted to add a statement of government rights in the invention in order to comply with the patent statute and regulations. The amendment does not pertain to any substantive material or new matter. The amendment merely discloses a statement of federally sponsored research or development pursuant to MPEP §608.01(a) and 37 CFR 1.77(a)(b)(3) and is necessary for the application to comply with 35 U.S.C. §202(c)(6), 35 U.S.C. §111(b)(8), and 37 C.F.R. §1.51(c)(1)(viii).

For the reasons set forth above, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment.

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